

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 2005**, upon the application of **HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **4100' Sand, Reservoir B**, in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 4100' Sand, Reservoir B.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
3. To designate Hassie Hunt Exploration Company as unit operator, the LL&E Fee No. 9 Well (SN 029729) as the unit well and the LL&E Fee No. 14 Well (SN 031047) as the alternate unit well for the unit so created.
4. To provide that the operator of the 4100' Sand, Reservoir B, can produce the unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit well, or any combination thereof.
5. To provide that any wells drilled outside of the 4100' Sand, Reservoir B, shall be in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
6. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 4100' Sand, Reservoir B, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 4078' and 4128' (electrical log measurements) in the Hassie Hunt Exploration Company (formerly Phillips Petroleum Company) - LL&E Fee No. 9 Well (SN 029729), located in Section 44, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

BASTIAN BAY FIELD
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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH
DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-
ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275
IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**